SCHOLARSHIP GRANT for the academic year 2020/21

According to § 63 Studienförderungsgesetz (StudFG), scholarship grants exist to support degree programme students working on scientific thesis or artistic thesis (diploma thesis, master's thesis, PhD thesis).

A scholarship grant for one academic year may not be below \in 750,00 and may not exceed \in 3.600,00.

According to § 67 (2) StudFG, the scholarship grant will be awarded by the university body responsible for study law matters.

There is no legal entitlement to the grant.

A) <u>Requirements according to § 66 StudFG</u>

- 1. The applicant is an Austrian citizen or is considered as equivalent to Austrian citizens according to § 4 StudFG.
- 2. An <u>application</u> by the student for a scholarship grant for the performance of the unfinished thesis, including a <u>description of the thesis</u>, a <u>statement of costs</u> and a <u>financing plan</u>.
- 3. The <u>submission of at least one report</u> by a TU Graz faculty member with habilitation on the statement of costs and whether the student is likely to be able to complete the thesis with above-average success on the basis of his*her previous academic achievements and his*her suggestions for the thesis.
- 4. <u>Compliance with the entitlement period</u> (§ 18 StudFG) of the relevant period of study (this is the legally defined period plus one additional semester), taking into account any important reasons (§ 19 StudFG) e.g. pregnancy, military service, etc.
- 5. The <u>compliance with the submission requirements</u> as referred to in section A) and B)

B) <u>Further tender conditions</u>

- 1. <u>Data sheet</u> (to be completed online and submitted as a signed PDF).
- 2. <u>Transcript(s) of records</u> for the period 01.03.2020 to 28.02.2021 for the 1st submission deadline and for the period 01.10.2020 to 30.09.2021 for the 2nd submission deadline.
- 3. <u>Confirmation of any other activities</u> (e.g. student assistant, papers written ...).
- Submission deadlines (applications received later will not be considered) 1st submission deadline: 29.07.2021, 12:00 o'clock 2nd submission deadline: 02.11.2021, 12:00 o'clock

C) In the event that the scholarship is granted

according to § 67 (3) StudFG, a report on the proper use of the scholarship must be submitted to the responsible Dean of Studies after completion of the funded thesis.

The required documents should either be sent by e-mail (<u>geodaesie.mpug@tugraz.at</u>, <u>materialsscience.mpug@tugraz.at</u>, <u>mathematik.mpug@tugraz.at</u>, <u>physik.mpug@tugraz.at</u>) or posted in the mailbox "5001 Dekanat Mathematik, Physik und Geodäsie", Foyer, Petersgasse 16, ground floor.